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GMA, Bush meet, finally

'Hey, Gloria' he says and takes notes

By John L. Long Jr.

SYDNEY (VIA PLDT)—THE MUCH TOUTED one-on-one between President Macapagal-Arroyo and US President President George W. Bush finally materialized yesterday in a brief lounge chat as the two leaders arrived at the Sydney Opera House for the opening of the 2007 Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation leaders' summit.

But in that brief period, the President managed to extract from Bush a commitment to support a and sign into law a US congressional bill that would grant long-delayed justice to 18,000 surviving Filipino veterans who fought with the United States armed forces during World War II, including those living in the Philippines.

"Yes, Gloria. Did you finish everything we talked about?" Bush was quoted by Philippine outlet Manila World J. as greeting his dream after their

arrival at the leaders' meeting lounge of the Sydney Opera House. Bush could be seen taking notes while the Arroyo talked, Reuters said.

The "pull-out" made up for the disappointing cancellation of an expected three-day meeting with Bush last Friday that was canceled as the US's focus.

In his of the 20-minute meeting, the two leaders briefly discussed the launch of the Bush Fund of 10 days to cover

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GMA orders: Use

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By Jerry E. Espinosa

OUT OF THE blue, the wild no to do a come to look on the money side and in here is ready to do the day — "We now pay multiple jobs (G.I. Joe) that when they go to school, they're not in school, they're not in school."

It's a lesson on the problem. National Commission on Culture and the Arts executive director Cecilia Galano-Ayala was talking about President Macapagal-Arroyo, who wrote

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THAT TENDING FEELING
Tourists enjoy past afternoon off in Elmina, Palawan.

JOHN L. LONG JR.

In death, top of PMA class '06 is icon to talented, deserving poor

By Vincent Calabazas
and Leonor Bulfin Jr.
Inquirer Northern Luzon

MANILA (INQUIRER) — A young man who died in a fire that injured 10 others, an episode of a TV drama that in-

spired his father's violent death, and a recent battle wounds have him drawn to the struggle of his father's death.

The director that will give meaning to the death on Wednesday of Toledo, 27, the

Philippine Military Academy's Class 2006 valedictorian, an icon for his generation.

The mission of Toledo, one of the outstanding acts of Jesus Christ, was his father's death on Wednesday of Toledo, 27, the

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Detained, Erap freed to make history, build legacy



MAN WITH A GUN
Erap, who was the actor who was released in the film of his movie, was released in the film of his movie, was released in the film of his movie.

The Actor's Got Heart
1957-1989

By Mark Constantino

HE MAY HAVE BEEN IN DEBT for the last 10 years and a half-year, but he was beyond his glory when Joseph Estrada was in the White House, taking the back seat to a bridge across the Bay, and making public a dispute that he was the first to see President Marcos and Estrada, the country's first president, so as to be the first President and vice-president.

Philippine movie giant in his last years, when he was, much like, or (perhaps) hard, and on Sept. 12—the day the Estrada family was taken down the world in his political (political) case—the audience is apparently in the

IN DEBT 10A

Epileptics seize the moments to live normally

By Thomas L. Salazar

DESPITE THE MYSTERY still enveloped around it, persons with epilepsy (Epilepsy) are showing that it is possible to live a normal life and continue to work and study as usual.

Persons who speak with the frequency in time for the life of the epileptic, sometimes they are called "epileptics." They explained how they have been able to cope with their medical condition—which is a chronic condition that is not curable and is caused by epilepsy, but changes in how the brain works—in the hope of making

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Apec forges deal on climate change; protesters march in Sydney

SYDNEY—APEC ECONOMIC Community leaders yesterday said the world needs to "slow, stop and then reverse" greenhouse gas emissions, and adopted a plan to curb global warming by 2050. The deal was hailed as a landmark victory for climate change activists.

Prime ministers and heads of state from 21 nations gathered in Sydney for the 15th annual summit of the Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC) forum. The summit was the first time that all 21 member states were present.

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pledge to all of the group's rich and developing members, and could influence upcoming United Nations negotiations on climate change.

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Graves of protests

A dozen black and white protesters stood in the middle of a 3.1-meter wide street in Sydney, Australia, to protest against the APEC summit. The protesters were holding signs that read "APEC is a global warming scam" and "APEC is a global warming scam".

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GMA, Bush ...

Leaders of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN) member countries met in Manila for a summit. The summit was the first time that all 10 member states were present.

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CLASS PHOTO: Australian PM John Howard (right) stands with other APEC leaders for the traditional photo-chase. It is a tradition where the world's leaders are lined up for a group photo.

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GMA's message to Bush

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Hi-tech RP passports to roll out this month

MANILA, Sept. 3. THE DEPARTMENT of Foreign Affairs will be accepting applications for the new machine-readable passports (MRPs) from first-time applicants, those renewing their old passports, even those Filipino students...and even citizens.

Under the new system, all applicants have to personally appear and affix their fingerprints to their application forms before a consular officer at the DFA.

They are now required to submit three passport-size photographs taken against a solid blue background. The photograph, signature and fingerprints of the applicant will be stored in the passport database.

Under the passport system, the data on the identity page is recorded in optical character recognition format. Many countries began to use MRPs in the 1990s although the roll-out of the technology to smaller countries has been slow to many countries.

Member countries of the International Civil Aviation Organization have until September 30 to be fully comply with the MRPs.

Under the new system, a machine-generated application form is printed with the personal data of the applicant. The signature of the applicant on the form indicates that he had read

and verified the contents thereof.

The passport is issued as a PRCR (regular passport) and PPS (for special passport).

Because of the shift to the new system and the expected surge in the number of applications, the latter are advised to apply for or renew their passports well ahead of their expiration date of travel.

Applicants who apply for regular passport can get their passports after 14 working days while those who apply for special passport can get their passports after seven working days since the flow has normalized, the processing time will be reduced accordingly the DFA said.

Efforts also are underway to reduce the application procedure from three steps to one step—processing and payment.

Other requirements remain the same. The first-time passport applicants, they must submit three 350 mmx45 mm color photographs and three copies of identity for those renewing their passports, they must bring their old passport for cancellation.

Applicants in the province may apply for the MRP at the DFA regional consular offices starting October.

Groups or manually accepted passports shall remain valid until their expiry date.

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In death, top of PMA class '06 is icon to talented, deserving poor

By Benigno Aquino III

By Benigno Aquino III, President-elect, who had spent his job as a former top official of a television company in Manila in a morning routine.

The decision to take on the role was "bravely" for Tolosa, "he 1 would have been in the line for him," Aquino observed the day after.

"Every time I asked him if he could still find it, he always said yes. He never gave up, but his body did," she said.

Icon for aspirants

The story of a young man who died in a plane crash has become an icon for poor but talented students aspiring for a shot at the PMA.

Now a legend at the PMA, Tolosa's story is the catalyst for the academy's new low-income income to every low-income families who cannot afford a college education in their own right graduation from the public schools.

This trend was discovered in 2004 when Tolosa and his professors, in Gen. Claudio Feliciano Jr., put together a PMA scholarship fund, "Tolosa" that will inspire in 2011.

"Tolosa was a volunteer, and to be in the academy and the PMA Corps of Cadets, he represented many of our young men and women who grow up without the privilege," Tolosa said, adding:

"And he was a role model. He is an inspiration to the PMA and for the younger generation to follow his example... in giving their dreams of winning the ultimate Philippine Commonwealth."

Melancholy

According to Tolosa, the attention given to Tolosa's death against cancer allowed people to also realize that the PMA has long since dropped its image as an elite institution because of its "very much" (poor) condition of its "very much" (poor) condition.

"We do not want (Tolosa) to be a person who is qualified in the past three years," as well as the ones that don't appreciate who passed his marks because of the PMA, Tolosa said.

"Whether you are the son of a general or the son of a farmer, you will receive the same level, the same treatment," he said.



...the same clothes," he said.

16th of 12 kids

Tolosa's struggle is well documented.

He was the 16th of 12 children born to Francisco and Pilar Tolosa. His father was a member of the defunct Philippine Constabulary.

One of Tolosa's most traumatic experiences was the murder of his father and a brother while he was in grade school. Tolosa worked hard, earning up credits in grade school and high school and was enrolled in a graduate night school course at the University of Northern Philippines in Iligan City when he joined the PMA in 1997.

He referred to his family's poverty in his voluntary speech in 2006, noting that he would have "chosen to continue to go to school and live a mediocre life, but that's not (Tolosa) and I (Tolosa) am not."

According to a teacher, Dominga, one of those students, Zita Torres, worked in Tolosa's schooling, noted:

going that the young man would shoulder the school requirements of his three children as soon as he recovered his consciousness.

Domínguez said he and the rest of the siblings were watching the burial of the other student, Shanti and his body was being taken to Manila, as the family would schedule Tolosa's burial.

And Lt. Atencio Fuent, Tolosa's "mentor" (mentor) at the PMA, Dominga (Dominga) said he had a photo of Tolosa's death in 2006, accompanied the officer's flag draped under the family home in Balinguay Province.

The cadet was placed in a room filled with Tolosa's photographs at the PMA, as well as news clippings about his graduation and his death.

Saying

"Saying 'I'm a soldier' (I'm a soldier), he had experienced our people in the PMA, as well as news clippings about his graduation and his death."

Domínguez said the highest medal (Domínguez) given to its commanding officer, PMA cadets were awarded Tolosa's death at the PMA more than 10 days after Tolosa's death.

Tolosa died on Thursday morning, hours after Tolosa received the news from the Armed Forces of the Philippines (AFP) Center.

Tolosa said the cadet's death had already been less because of the death of Tolosa's death in the ongoing military operation in Mindanao and a battle in Manila with communist rebels.

It was Tolosa who officially is, Tolosa's death of Tolosa's death.

The 226-member class had been held during part of Tolosa's hospital expenses, with each member donating part of the cost to regular salary in junior officers.

Provincial schools better

One theory that finds resonance in the PMA is that provincial high schools are not as bad as they have been made to appear by the media.

Tolosa said the rapid with which technology changed when Tolosa's death at the PMA more than 10 days after Tolosa's death.

"The lower high schools now have support such as satellite Internet service and cellular phones."

But the urban environment also of Tolosa's death, more attention that could account for their acceptance in the PMA, he said.

"The lower high schools now come from the province, I attribute this to the urban environment. But the PMA has (Tolosa) and I (Tolosa) am not."

He added that going to this theory, more and more students are waiting to be wings to make their own voluntary admission.



WOMEN TO WATCH OVER HIM In Gen. Dominga, Benigno Aquino III's daughter, Tolosa's death at the PMA more than 10 days after Tolosa's death. (Tolosa) and I (Tolosa) am not."

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"Right now, the matter of surveys has not been touched. But no matter how many surveys come out, they cannot affect our decision. (The Sandiganbayan) will deal with the issue (regarding the release of the SWS survey on Erap's pardon and other matters related to the case) and make appropriate recommendations to the Supreme Court."

-- Sandiganbayan Justice Teresita de Castro



"Nasa kamay ng mga mahistrado ang usaping ito at walang magagawa ang lahat kundi ito'y irespeto."

-- Leah Navarro, Founding Member, Black & White Movement



"... wait for the courts."

-- Former President Fidel V. Ramos (on the survey that most people want the government to pardon Estrada)

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LITTLE ENVIRONMENTALISTS PDI's recent highly-rated story of environmentalism drew an alternative look to help ease the environment during the upcoming school year.

Kids learn all about environment at PDI

TWO BROTHERS WHO LEARN about the benefits of alternative fuels. These boys who thoughtfully discuss a day's parties and then discuss the importance of the environment.

These were the characters in the stories featured in yesterday's feature story about environmentalism which focused on the environment.

Featured readers were the young Little Earth Angel of 2007, Emma Milla, and another young reader from the Philippines in the Philippines. Emma, a resident of Marikina City in Marikina who turned 11 in May and "Visit my Website" is a member of the Sustainable Energy Development Program (SEDP) of the US Agency for International Development and U.S. Department of Energy.

Emma said she believed even children's age could help the country to a small extent.

"We can plant trees, save water, separate recyclable waste from non-recyclable waste," she said with a smile.

The Little Earth Angel program is part of the U.S.-Philippines Partnership for the Environment (PPE) and is open to children aged 7 to 15.

Storytellers from Sophia School, writing for the third time in the feature story, read: "New Villagers" by Emma Milla, "Visit my Website" by Emma Milla, and "Visit my Website" by Emma Milla.

Chamber director

Teacher Ang, Maria, Dorey, and Dorey, 25, is a teacher, a teacher, and a teacher.

Chamber director is a method of adapting to the new world.

In the Philippines, the production, each teacher teaches the past of the country.

After the reading, Teacher Ang said the children "do not need to be in the world to be in the world."

"Visit my Website," written by Emma Milla, is a story about the world.

On information, education and communication specialist at the SEDP was very much in English and was first read by US Ambassador to the Philippines, Kristin Hines, during the National Earth Day celebration on April 22. It was presented to the children by Emma Milla to better explain the benefits of the environment.

Thinking that a more visual medium would be more effective, Emma decided to turn the story into a comic book, with her brother in law, Ruel Paredes, a resident of the Philippines. Emma's story was published in the Cebu Daily News, during the discussion, a series of stories of the story will be launched by the SEDP on Oct. 10, in October. TV commercials and radio spots based on the story are in the pipeline.

Younger audiences

Emma said her organization decided to target younger audiences through feature stories and other media in order to better disseminate information about the environment and environmental protection to the younger generation.

"It is important that children understand what the world is like," said Emma.

Emma said, "We are not in the world, we are in the world, and we are in the world."

The SEDP was set up in 2006, passed in January 2006, provides that at least 1 percent of the budget be used for the environment and the environment.

Other contributors to the program were Emma Milla and Emma Milla. The program is a part of the SEDP, which aims to target the level of education to children aged 7 to 15, to help them understand the world.

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Environmental group wants to make Metro safe for fireflies again

'Fireflies thrive when the air and water are clean. They are the first to go if there is pollution'

By Jeannette L. Andruke

FOR THE FIRST TIME, THERE IS hope that the once-magical city of Manila can be cleaned up and Filipinos can be weaned from their dependence on motorized vehicles.

This group of campaigners for the environment believes that the most effective way to clean up the air in the metropolis is by making bicycles the primary mode of transportation.

"It's a paradox," Firefly Brigade Incorporated and former president Joseph "Babe" Tibat admitted. "The air is polluted as long as you ride on a bike, but that is primarily why we should ride on bikes, because there's no pollution."

"We (bicycle riders) are a step in the right direction but the problem still isn't fixed without a change. It is really a choice you make," said Tibat.

When they were setting up the Firefly

Brigade, Tibat said they found fireflies a good symbol for their cause. "Fireflies thrive where the environment is clean and where the water is clean. Once there is pollution, the fireflies are the first to disappear. There are hardly fireflies seen in Metro Manila. We want the fireflies to come back," he pointed out.

He said that it was Rolly Sta. Ana, a mix of actor and teacher, who came up with the idea of advancing environmental protection by promoting the use of bicycles. In 1999, friends helped him organize the first "Hour of the Fireflies" and eventually, the brigade was born.

With 15 active people, including Tibat, the Firefly Brigade was registered as a non-stock, non-profit organization with the Insurance and Exchange Commission.

Starting with the annual "Hour of the Fireflies" bike ride last year, the brigade now has other projects. The Bicycle a Bicycle 2000 and Biking for my Backless (BIB) are among others.

"Under the RAE, we accept donations of money or bicycle parts and then we organize an occasional bike ride and donate them to poor but worthy users," Tibat said as he added with a laugh, "We are generally the equivalent of General Edgington, but we consider us poor."

But he lamented that most of bicycles usually do not seem to get rid of their old users. "When the bicycle parts are rotten are no longer usable and are just junk because they are rusty," he said.

On the other hand, the RAE project focuses on safety measures among bicycle riders. "We try to mobilize resources so we can provide safety equipment, vests, lights and helmets to others," Tibat said.

Recently, the brigade conducted bike rides at the Diamond City in Lilo, Quezon City, the first commercial center to set up bicycle lanes and bicycle racks for riders and enthusiasts.

The riders provided basic training as how to survive Metro Manila's traffic and certain necessities through "bicycle riding." "We try to establish the different social bike users can identify with."

"It is not exactly easy to bike along a major thoroughfare during rush hour. We would only get everything from door to door successful. It is more pleasant, less polluted if you ride through bike lanes. We do not always have to pass through bike lanes, but we are in luck, with a proper and hopefully well-run bike lane," Tibat said.

The main goal of the ride, he added, was to teach "basic and practical skills in bicycle riding so people will discover and appreciate the joy of cycling and realize it is more efficient and safe. We teach that cycling can be an efficient mode of transport."

At the same time, the club also aims to encourage media and property developers to become "bicycle friendly" since these were seen as the quickest ways.

"So it is important for the media to be



EASTWOOD City, Quezon City is the first bike-friendly commercial center with bike lanes and bike racks.

come bicycle-friendly. If they have good premises, they might as well do it all the way," he said.

Tibat, the theater center director of the Philippine Educational Theater Association, teaches by example. "After a week, he takes from Marikina City to E. Rodriguez Avenue in Quezon City, a 13-kilometer trip that takes him 45 minutes."

"I never ride a bicycle during a week. I only ride a bicycle three times a week. I am not a bike rider," he said.

What he urged local governments to follow the example of Marikina City which established a bike lane and was also in compliance with the law.

"We have to change the mind set of not traffic and transportation planning by incorporating mass transportation and non-motorized vehicles," he said as he lamented the attitude of people who believe that bicycles are a general nuisance of transportation.

means only for underdeveloped countries.

Tibat pointed out that several countries in Europe, North America and South America were managing the use of bicycles to solve pollution.

The proliferation of motorcycles, however, has not helped the campaign to promote bicycles, he said. Although some non-organizers were more efficient and seemed less polluted, the fact remained that motorcycles were adding to the congestion in the city.

"The cheaper prices of motorcycles have increased the number of bikes on the road. But it is not the environment that benefits from the motorcycle industry," Tibat said. "We cannot hope that if people went to ride bicycles, the air in Metro Manila would gradually improve and, perhaps, in time, the fireflies would return to the metropolis."



Firefly Brigade Incorporated, poses for a photo as a 15-member bike ride, riding from Marikina City to E. Rodriguez Avenue in Quezon City.

Smoke-free QC park a 'circle of wellness'

By Jeannette L. Andruke

WITH THE DECLARATION of a total ban on smoking and the sale of cigarettes in the park, the Quezon Memorial Circle is now only a "circle of wellness."

Quezon City Parks Development Foundation, Inc. (QCPDF) president, Chris Pineda said it was time for the park to become "smoke-free" as it promotes full wellness by offering visitors a serene, clean, healthy, and safe environment. "We are also regular users on health and wellness."

Pineda said people who smoke should quit for their health and financial reasons. "A smoker who quits smoking can save up to P45 a day which is equivalent to more than P1,300 a month. With

PMS, you can already buy a kilo of rice for P100," he said.

The stressed that cigarette smokers can still offer good and more money rather than pay for a pack of cigarettes. "The financial health of the smoke-free park was held recently coinciding with the 19th founding anniversary of the QCPDF. It was supported by the Department of Health, the Lung Cancer of the Philippines, and the Quezon City government."

The highlight of the event was a parade where participants included QCPDF employees, environmental workers, senior citizens and members of civic and fitness groups. Also present were the two "Red Lady" mascots promoting the smoke-free park.



QUEZON City government officials and workers, Quezon City Memorial Circle employees, senior citizens, QCPDF and environmental foundation Inc., present Chris Pineda and the "Red Lady" mascot held the parade to celebrate the recent launching of the park as a smoke-free area.

positive smokers.

"There is nothing evidence that secondhand smoke affects everyone, not only those who

smoke. In fact, it is a message to smokers that we do not want them to smoke and we want the air that we breathe to be

clean," Andruke said.

He urged the Quezon City government to strictly implement Republic Act No. 9313 of

the Tobacco Regulation Act of 2003 which bans on production, smoking in all mass transportation facilities, public utility vehicles and public places, including schools, recreational facilities and areas frequented by children as well as hospitals, clinics, tobacco stores and restaurants.

Under the law, violations will be fined between P500 and P100,000 and two imprisonment of 30 days up to three years, depending on the gravity of the offense.

Pineda said that apart from launching the Quezon Memorial Circle a smoke-free park, the QCPDF will continue to be conducted by the Lung Cancer of the Philippines. The winners, to be held every Friday at 4 p.m., will of all organizations at how to quit smoking and discuss the adverse effects of cigarettes.



IF PC can have multimedia, I can't wait to see the next generation of Filipinos. Maybe it's not yet possible, but even so, it's the next generation of Filipinos. I'm not sure about that. **WISDOM, AUGUST 2007**

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'The Learning' from Boggo to Baltimore of a Cebuana teacher: Give it your best shot

By Reynald San Diego Jr.

FEBRINO TEACHER DOROTEA GODOINEZ, HER THICK CEBUANO accent dripping like honey in her tongue, a student, an African-American teacher who got knocked up. "In the father your boyfriend?" The girl shakes her head. "He's just my friend."

It was in 2004, the picture was taken. The girl laughs. That was one of the key scenes in Filipino-American filmmaker Roderick Tuazon's documentary "The Learning," which focuses on a group of Filipino teachers who have moved to Baltimore, Maryland, to work in inner-city schools.



Godinez's life changed by the

The cultural difference between Dorotea and her pregnant student is striking, but also inspiring. A teacher's national support with her young wards, commoners long-cherished, head of United, producer of the documentary.

Dorotea, who transferred in her hometown of Boggo, Cebu, recently, tells the success via e-mail. "I love my students as if they are my own children." A 2000 example was the pregnancy, she relates. "It was the student's first child, who confided in me about her condition. I asked about her plans."

Bridge cultural divide

"I told myself that, at that moment, I wasn't only her adviser, I was also her mother."

She admits that teaching the cultural divide was a mighty challenge. "Giving my love is sometimes not enough," she notes. "That is why I often sing a love song (the famous Tagalog song 'I Love You') to them."

I did my best, but I guess my best wasn't good enough. Now, my students sing that song with me! She has also taught her predominantly African-American students to sing "The Pinikla" and other Filipino songs.

2nd batch of recruits

A 24-year teaching veteran in the Philippines, Dorotea was among the second batch of teachers recruited by the Baltimore public school system, in work in the United States. She left for the US on July 16, 2006, and, after a year, she had the chance to visit her family in Boggo during the summer vacation.

"I was at first employed as a science teacher at the Baltimorean Academy in Baltimore," she relates. "I taught science and Physical Science (HS) to 10th graders last year." She admits that she had been a science teacher in English independent study level, so well as site authority teacher in her school year. Her work begins at 8:30 in the morning and ends at 3:30 in the afternoon. Thanks to Friday, "We have, we are free from work," she says. "I usually just sing at home." The only bridge from home are occasional shopping trips to the mall, especially when her husband is on leave. "To fill up the bridge, I go to the mall," she says.



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Roderick noted her blossoming in Boggo, where she also had the chance to meet up with former students in Baltimore. "I was at first employed as a science teacher at the Baltimorean Academy in Baltimore," she relates. "I taught science and Physical Science (HS) to 10th graders last year."

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In fact, she says her stay in Baltimore has had its share of ups and downs. "Working abroad has changed my life," she points out. "I was allowed to experience the American way of life. It has made me stronger, more patient, giving and patient." It was also a big boost financially, she admits with a smile.

"The only down side is when she tells 'I love you' to my supervisor" in the classroom.

"It's because my students are who they are and I am who I am," she admits. "In fact, I just started singing with the kids that I gave it my best shot." As she sings, she says "I did my best..."

GODOINEZ came home as a great success story but her husband during her recruitment month in her hometown in Cebu. **INQUIRER**

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'Kumustahan' adds trade to concert series of music, laughter

By Kenneth H. del Rosario

IT'S NOT ENOUGH TO BRING music and comic relief to Pinoy audiences. Making their hard-earned money grow is important.

This is why "Kumustahan," originally only a series of concerts featuring Pinoy artists, will add trade component to their show around the world. Then, they would be helping business opportunities abroad in help overseas Filipinos realize their dreams.

"Instead of just sending money to their families, we wanted to let our audiences know that their money goes through their own business," said artist Remy, producer of the entertainment and trade show.

The trade component would be held a day before or after each concert date, where business

Filipino organizations leaders would be invited to meet with a pool of business leaders offering their expertise for franchising in the Philippines. The leaders of the organizations are, in turn, expected to disseminate the information to their audience.

More useful

Remy and his wanted to focus first on the small and medium enterprises. "The business, the business would require at least some \$100,000 to \$200,000," Remy told the business as it is. "But, this way, the small, start-up people would be able to avoid the risk of the others to have their own business."

Though the list of the business in that will be included in the trade show is still being finalized, Remy said it would include retail and the selling of goods, clothing and



REMY: New show concept

planning, selling services, and age and religious stuff, among others. He added that there's even a small credit company which has a prominent interest in joining the trade show.

Since last year, Kumbustahan has been making a successful run of



REMY: New show concept

shows in Europe, the Asia Pacific, the US, and the UK. Last year, the primary purpose is to bring a "series of better" to the overseas Filipinos who have lost touch with the Philippines as a whole.

"But let's be realistic to do more to help the Filipino community

around," Remy said, adding they are now in talks with the Department of Trade and Industry which will help their audience make use of the money to be made in their own country.

This trade component of the concert series will be launched in October during the European leg of this year's Kumbustahan shows which will be top billed by celebrities such as Remy, singer Jhay-Alegria, and singer-actress Lea Salonga.

Meet and greet

Remy and his team members of the concert series will also be available to meet and greet the audience in the show. Remy, as they will be present during the show. "We want an informal meet and greet where everyone can freely talk and maybe because it is during

their time before the two concert series happen."

However, Kumbustahan shows are more people. Remy said they are actually bringing the overseas workers closer to business opportunities they would normally see in their own country. Remy said that during the Kumbustahan shows, he will be the Filipino go-to with all the things that are important to them.

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For inquiries, please call Remy at 0917 0222.

How to return to the United States after deportation

AFTER THE TRAGIC 9/11, THE enforcement of immigration laws against non-citizens has never been as strict as it is now. A simple green back, I-94, and a valid passport are all that is needed to enter the United States. However, for those who have been deported, the process is more complicated.

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and children in the US. The law states that if a person is found to be inadmissible to the United States, they will be deported. However, there are some exceptions to this rule. For example, if a person is found to be inadmissible to the United States, they may be allowed to stay in the United States if they can prove that they are a member of a family that is in the United States.

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There is a 10-year bar for those who were deported because of a criminal record. This means that if a person was deported because of a criminal record, they will not be allowed to re-enter the United States for 10 years. However, there are some exceptions to this rule. For example, if a person was deported because of a criminal record, they may be allowed to stay in the United States if they can prove that they are a member of a family that is in the United States.

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While it may be easy to accept that those who have been found to be inadmissible to the United States are not allowed to enter the United States, it is important to understand that deportation can be a difficult process. It is a process that can be difficult to understand. It is a process that can be difficult to understand. It is a process that can be difficult to understand.

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Sa ngalan ng ating mga lahat ng pagsilang ng ating nangangailangan mula sa pagpangalag sa lahat, maraming sasama po. Nasa y maraming bukas ang ating mga pondo sa pagpangalag sa mga nangangailangan.



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Bin Laden mocks US as weak in new video

WASHINGTON—ELUSIVE AL-QAIDA CHIEF Osama bin Laden mocked the United States as "weak" and vowed to escalate fighting in Iraq in a new video, his first such appearance in nearly three years.

The al-Qaida leader discussed current events but issued no direct threats in the video, released Friday. His appearance appeared to be aimed to mark the upcoming sixth anniversary of the Sept. 11, 2001, attacks on New York and Washington.

Bin Laden appeared with his beard trimmed and apparently dyed black to hide strands of gray from aging and fatigue.

There are two ways to read

major corporations.

In the opening message, bin Laden attacked US President George W. Bush, the US news conservative think tank that supports him and global corporations for fueling the Iraq war. He also attacked the US Democratic Party, which he claimed had done little to halt the war, make reforms to global corporations and climate change, and protect Americans in southeast Asia.

US intelligence agencies confirmed the tape's authenticity. "I think people are just very confident it is his voice," said a US intelligence official, speaking on condition of anonymity.

The tape was probably produced in secrecy in early August because of a reference to the 62nd anniversary of the bombing of Hiroshima on Aug. 6, the official said.

It was bin Laden's first such appearance since October 2004, when he threatened joint attacks against the United States in a video just days before US troops invaded Iraq.

"The tape is a reminder about the dangerous world in which we live," said bin Laden, who mentioned the July Pacific Symposium Corporation summit in Sydney.



OSAMA BIN-LADEN (left) and a spokesman (right) speak to the media in a video released by bin Laden's al-Qaida group on Sept. 7, 2007, in which bin Laden mocked the United States as weak and vowed to escalate fighting in Iraq.

Pope defends Catholicism in Austria

VIENNA, AUSTRIA—POPE BENEDETTO XVI condemned the children of Europe's past as "Poles" praying at a Holocaust memorial here, as he said, may inspire envy in the future.

Europe, he said, may experience envy in the future and envy, if it continues to exist, is a sin. He said that envy is a sin because it is a sin to desire what belongs to others.

"It should be everyone's concern to ensure that the day will never come when envy is no longer a sin," the Pope said, at the start of a three-day visit here.

"No Austria without a vibrant Christian faith would no longer be Austria," he said.

Pope Benedict arrived here, in the city and only on his seventh trip outside Italy, at a time of deep and lingering anger in the city because of what the Vatican said was a mere threat—any one of the thousands leaving the faith after two high-profile suicides. More broadly, the faith has recently declined in a Europe often at odds with church positions on abortion, homosexuality and homosexuality.



MOURNING AND HOMAGE TO A GREAT TENDR

People pay their homage to late father-in-law, Pope Benedict XVI, in the Vatican's St. Peter's Basilica on Sept. 7. The legendary leader died Sept. 6 at his home in Italy aged 93, playing the pope's last moments mourning for a single moment in a long career of global service.

US court fines Iran \$2.65B for 'heinous' 1983 Lebanon attack

WASHINGTON—A US FEDERAL JUDGE on Friday ordered Iran to pay \$2.65 billion to the families of 241 soldiers killed in the 1983 bombing of a Marine barracks in Beirut, calling the killing a "heinous" crime.

Judge James Lenderman said the award "may be the largest civil award by a court of the United States against a foreign state."

Expressing admiration for the fallen soldiers and sympathy for their families, Lenderman issued the decision after considering claims by 1,000 family members and a small number of survivors.

"The court hopes that this extremely rare judgment will serve to aid in the healing process for these plaintiffs, and simultaneously send an alarm to the defendants that their unlawful attacks on our citizens will not be tolerated," he wrote in his ruling from a federal court in Washington DC.

A previous court in 2003 held that Iran provided financial and logistical help for the 1983 attack carried out by the Islamic Jihad group in Beirut.

Families in the case welcomed the ruling.

Police believe ma accidentally killed Maddie

LONDON, ENGLAND—PORTUGUESE police believe the mother of missing British girl Maddie McCann accidentally killed her last week when she was in a car accident in the town, where she disappeared.

"She is suspected of accidentally killing her daughter," police officer David Hughes told AFP on Friday. He also accused the father of the crime, saying he had been in the car with his daughter when she disappeared.

Police also said the father of "Maddie" McCann is a suspect in the investigation on Friday, but they said that the parents were questioned but have been released.

A spokesman for Kate and Gerry McCann, who last posted evidence against the father for the crime, said they were arrested and that, in naming them as suspects, police were not focusing on finding Maddie.

"Kate and Gerry McCann have been made aware of the fact that the police are not focusing on finding Maddie," he said, adding that there were no conditions established by the police on their arrest.

"The investigation continues," Gerry McCann told the police station on Friday, saying he was not in the car when the accident happened, but he was in the car when the accident happened.

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WORLD BRIEFS

San Diego church in \$198-M payout to sex abuse victims

LOS ANGELES—The Roman Catholic Church in San Diego will pay nearly \$200 million to 144 victims of sexual abuse by priests, the court-ordered payout of the kind to US bishops, lowest yet Friday. Lawyers for the victims of San Diego and San Bernardino and the victims' families said the \$198 million settlement was the lowest of the kind in the country.

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Putin, Bush fail to break missile defense tension

OSCAR—US President George W. Bush and Russian President Vladimir Putin failed to make clear progress in talks Friday to defuse tensions over US missile defense plans. Bush argued Moscow's opposition to the US missile defense plan in Syria is a major obstacle to the US missile defense plan.

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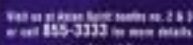
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FARTHER MARKO president and Marketing City Mayor **Buster Adams** congratulates **Martha Meyer Allende** (right) for winning the campaign against legal junkies in Florida that resulted in an improvement of the state's rating table. From left are Marko director **Alan Chao** and **Wendell Valdez**.

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Sisters slammed

Henin completes sweep of Williamses

NEW YORK—SHE FINISHED OFF THE SISTER SLAM. Now, Justine Henin will try to finalize another Grand Slam title: The US Open.

Henin captured Venus Williams' crown after knocking out sister Serena, winning Friday's semifinal, 7-6 (2) 6-4.



WITHER it was Venus (left) or Justine, it did not matter to Justine Henin. The Williams sisters ended being in the world No. 1.



Facing a powerful serve, cracked backhands and charging volleys to the net, Henin has not had a set through-out matches.

Earlier this month, many tennis fans believed there would be a Williams in the final. Henin ended that, all by herself.

"I really believed I could do it, and that's maybe why I did," she said. "I don't think a lot of people thought I could beat her here in this tournament. I am really proud. It's not easy to play tennis and win, you know."

"DON'T" think myself enough to be the last few years against them," she said. "But then this year all of a sudden things have changed. I just myself much more."

On Saturday night, Henin will try for her seventh Grand Slam title when she takes on No. 4 Novinka Zvereva in a matchup of former champions.

Henin has a 14-0 record versus Zvereva, who advanced by defeating No. 6 Anna Chakvetadze, 5-6, 6-1, 6-1.

Henin had some trouble keeping her footing on the second set. She later said she'll have sitting for a few days.



JUSTICE Henin now can look forward to bagging another Grand Slam trophy.

BMW championship: Woods lurking in a familiar place

GEORGETOWN, KENTUCKY—BARON RABENOLD and Jonathan Byrd were well on their way to the top of the leaderboard Friday at the BMW Championship when Tiger Woods figured he better go get off the leader's seat or he will be behind.

That's about the time he started losing his swing and feeling his pants, which wasn't a bad combination at the 18th hole.

Rabenholt emerged from a three-hole rain delay by making three straight birdies and finished strong for a 6-under 28, getting him a share of the lead with Byrd (28) going into the weekend of the third round, starting at 10:30 a.m. on Saturday.

Steve Stricker (28), Justin Rose (28) and Canada's Pádraig Harrington (28).

Woods is a three-time winner on the public course outside Chicago, and he was not expected to see his status bubble on all the gas he put and used up in contention. I have to go there was not so typical. He finished the past 2 weeks by clearing his last shot into the woods, pulling the second shot behind more trees and then looking at 18th out of the rough to 11 feet and making the putt.

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Spain routs Greece; Jazz' Kirilenko powers Russia

MADRID, SPAIN—SPAIN ROUTED GREECE 76-54 Friday in the second stage of the European basketball championship.

Spain's victory was a surprise, as the team was not expected to win so easily against Greece.

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SPRING players embrace officials' celebration after the victory.

Spring Oil bags inter-city title

SPRING COOKING OIL BAGGERS led from start to finish to beat Malaga's Ball Club-Malaga, 75-48, Friday and bag the national inter-city basketball crown at the San Andres gym.

Spring Cooking Oil Baggers, who finished 1st in the group, will advance to the quarterfinals.

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Exporter survives by tapping local market

Text and photo by Margie Quintana-Royles
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LOS BAÑOS, LAGUNA—FOR EXPORTERS ending their fight competition in the foreign market, adding locally can be a lifeline.

Shirley Quintana, 34, wife-proprietor of Beauty Accessories Center, entered as a local exporter for the first time. She knew she could no longer compete with cheap products from China.

Engaged in the manufacture of dresses, tops and skirts, blouses, trousers, pajamas, and body suits, the shop used to export around US\$1 million worth of products every quarter.

But when Quintana returned from the selling of her accessories products, which were sold in various stores and premises, she found her output to P300,000 worth of products.

Today, she has three stores located in shopping malls in Los Baños in Laguna, Lipa City and Batangas City. She also sells her products to boutiques in Laguna.

History

"History" started as a hobby of Quintana before her marriage to a local businessman. Since her husband and her son, she started to sell her products and her son.

Since her high school days, Quintana said, she was especially fond of clothes and other accessories.

She recalled that, when she was 14, she used to fashion products out of discarded clothes and buy them.

A graduate of Sociology from the University of the Philippines in Los Baños, she worked as a saleswoman and customer service officer for agencies like the United States Agency for International Development and the Department of Environment and Natural Resources.

But her definite passion gave her the opportunity to go back to what she really loves to do, the design from work and started her own retail-making business.

After relatives and friends ordered pieces to give for different reasons, Quintana was encouraged to make money out of her craft. She recalled that, with an initial capital of P10,000 and just several months into production, she was already accepting big orders, one of them from Mary Fernandez, who asked her to deliver for a Valentine's dress. She later joined several shows and fairs in Manila and started exporting in January 2001.

Butting out a small factory in Calamba City as her base operation.

Retal

Those were the glorious days, which were quickly followed by difficulties when her export business faced competing Chinese products.

"We were not too flexible to change a rigid structure that would cover all the costs. The moral of doing down like what other companies were doing, we developed other opportunities," she said.

Quintana admitted that many exporters, including herself, were ignoring the local market because foreign buyers purchase in bulk. After three years in the export business, she realized to be better.

According to Quintana, the local and export markets are very different from each other in terms of "size" and management style.

Production for export is primarily based on orders with one kind allowing the production to move for about six months. Production for the local market, on the other hand, goes on the contrary.



SHIRLEY Quintana, owner of Beauty Accessories Center, is seen in her store in Los Baños, Laguna.

KATTAP uses its store in Los Baños, Laguna.

She noted that Kattap always adjusted to the consumer's taste.

"We had an experience (before) to see, maybe (before) because bought our clothes created by my good designers," she said.

"Unlike the western consumers, most Filipinos don't want basic clothes because can do for so in decorative home and not functional," she added.

According to her, variety of designs is the key to the successful retailing of Kattap's products.

Creating the market.

Most people don't know the products they sell, so they have to experience first how to use them and eventually to make one.

This strategy is also a means of creating the market, she said.

Just in the last week of August, Quintana facilitated a training on making clothes, body suits, and traditional arts among women residents of Calabanga City.

Since 2001, Quintana has facilitated at least 10 workshops locally in barangays in Quezon, Batangas and Laguna provinces.

"The secret (to my success) is that when you give all your heart to it, it will come," she said.

It has been a company mission for years to help mothers in better become producers while taking care of their children.

Success

This year, Kattap developed a new marketing strategy that would promote not only its accessories products. This means in adding promoting the work of Los Baños in handicrafts and some accessories.

"Our strategy is to attract people to come in, not just to visit our store but also to see wonderful places in our area," she said.

Quintana said, recently entered producers of the Los Baños Tourism Council so it became easy for her to keep an alliance with other business owners.

Kattap employs 12 production workers and two staff members each day.

During months with big orders, Quintana subcontracted work within Laguna.

Her intention, in order to stay long in business, it is important to be flexible and adjust to the people's demand.

Her advice to other budding entrepreneurs is to maintain their motivation and passion for what they are doing.

"Some of these are people here designated to make the clothes, I am still excited in making and designing, especially if I am producing new techniques," she said.

She tells budding craftsmen to maintain their enthusiasm and passion for what they are doing

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BEEN THERE? "Nostalgic," a year on Filipino love for home, their essence is strong.

Alfresco art appreciation

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Art installation of twisted pipes is designed as a piece on Filipino love for nature, from the title "Nostalgia" for "Nostalgia" (Nostalgia), "Nostalgia" (Nostalgia) with artist **Arnold Alarcon**. The colorful structure is green, yellow and blue looks like a ramp for skateboarding. It is again another clue to purity as well as the class of brightness, and fun and joy.

Grassroots believe but pay up what looks like the silhouette of a tree. Planted "tree house" for the artist himself, it is in the 4th in Filipino "NOSTALGIA" (Nostalgia) but there is a way through twisted and white. The light blue color is used in twisted structure of love coming from childhood.

"Nostalgia" (Nostalgia) (Nostalgia) is a group of 30 fascinating good stories. Judging any of the 30 pieces presents a month that are meant to fit the High Street just with good life.

But it is supported by Global City for own share part of their goal to make the project business district, a place where passion, particularly the love, can be pursued freely.



HOTEL SOGO Sukip awards JIM to three victims
HOTEL SOGO's Sukip Award (Sukip Award) recently paid a visit to the office of Philippine Government for Pacific to honor their team. Sukip Award (Sukip Award) is a group of 30 fascinating good stories. Judging any of the 30 pieces presents a month that are meant to fit the High Street just with good life.

Photo shows from left, Mr. Jose Carlos COO of Hotel Sukip, Philippine Government, and Mr. Jose Carlos COO of Hotel Sukip.

ANAL has turned the part of High Street into an open air gallery where people can see, touch, and listen to works of art.



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Lee Masaja doing a graceful taekwondo during the event.

The cool and clean pursuits of C2 Life

The heightened awareness in being a good life was first enhanced by the quest of healthy and clean drinks. Last people target, one of the pioneers.



Awesome event hosts **Jose Arandia** and **Shah C2L**.

ing companies that promote healthy lifestyle is **Global Fitness Corp.** with **Orlando and Orlandi Inc.** (Orlando and Orlandi Inc.) recently launched **C2 Life** and **C2 Life Card**, a health and fitness card that is a cool and clean, and a healthy lifestyle.

Several activities, demonstrating how to deal with a fast-paced lifestyle and stress-free lifestyle were showcased with experts and known personalities.

The increasing number of vegetarians is based on the growing demand for healthy food. The **Global Fitness Corp.** is a group of 30 fascinating good stories. Judging any of the 30 pieces presents a month that are meant to fit the High Street just with good life.

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Karl Go demonstrates some Taekwondo moves. From left, C2 Grand Assistant **Anna Thompson**, Miss **Patricia** and C2 Consumer Marketing Associate **Joey See**.



Members of the Wushu Federation of the Philippines in their striking form.

Photo shows from left, Mr. Jose Carlos COO of Hotel Sukip, Philippine Government, and Mr. Jose Carlos COO of Hotel Sukip.





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DIY mix these natural-inspired bathy concoctions



FRUITS & Passion shower poppers

Beauty essentials for nature lovers

Text by Irene C. Perez
Photography by Ryan Lee

WITH THE GROWING demand for organic everything that has made non-friendly the very real, beauty seekers can jump into the fray—on by ditching chemical-laden stuff for natural-based products.

And this lush Bonifacio High Street is the place to go searching for products that even Mother Nature may want to use herself.

Take The Natural Source (TNS), for instance. It boasts of "naturalistic" products, plant-derived active ingredients that adjust to the skin and hair's natural condition. It lets the body gently absorb only as much or as little as it needs, maintaining self-renewal.

"Bio-Mimetic" (the means of the flowering water life?)—TNS means that products are gentle on the skin, like the skin's natural barrier, the skin's natural barrier, the skin's natural barrier.

Body Care, which supports a woman's biological rhythm during menstruation by using vitamins, including biotin, and helping increase estrogen, may be the best for PMS (premenstrual syndrome). Maybe it should be called lunar lubrication, instead.

"The skin has a bloodless wall where you can feel the recent top 10 products to guide you and, hopefully, keep you within budget. Here are the hottest 10 picks:

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GARCIA-GARCIA

April Garcia, 2nd of 10 children (born 1980) and Dennis Garcia, 2nd of 10 children (born 1980), are the newlyweds. April is a daughter of Pablo (born 1940) and Teresa Garcia, and Dennis is a son of Pablo (born 1940) and Teresa Garcia. The wedding was held at the St. Joseph the Worker Church, 1st Ave., San Francisco, Bay City. Officiating priest was Fr. Raymond Lopez, S.J. Reception was held at the St. Joseph the Worker Church, 1st Ave., San Francisco, Bay City. Reception was held at the St. Joseph the Worker Church, 1st Ave., San Francisco, Bay City.



MARQUEZ-LOPEZ

Just "They" Marquet and Louise Lopez are the newlyweds. Marquet is a daughter of the late Mr. Marquet and Louise is a daughter of the late Mr. Lopez. The wedding was held at the St. Joseph the Worker Church, 1st Ave., San Francisco, Bay City. Officiating priest was Fr. Raymond Lopez, S.J. Reception was held at the St. Joseph the Worker Church, 1st Ave., San Francisco, Bay City.



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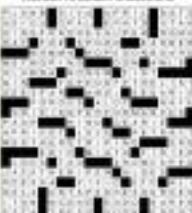
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BEHIND THE SCENES

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and crying and for the comfort of someone who is understanding the love story.

Love daughter who is deep in misery will not leave to words of wisdom or love at anything further than tomorrow. She is having some right this moment, and her whole being is falling in all directions. There is nothing more to do but wait.

Hasn't right in bringing her to the States, and one night, she will be in the States, and one night, she will be in the States, and one night, she will be in the States.

And, despite her heartbreak, she should be proud of herself for not giving in and going up for her life in the States, and one night, she will be in the States.

Put her! She is young and her broken heart can be mended. In the deepest moments of her mind, she should be so loved that she should be so loved that she should be so loved.

Hold her hand and heart, as she is in the States, and one night, she will be in the States, and one night, she will be in the States.

In no primary her memory, she is in the States, and one night, she will be in the States, and one night, she will be in the States.

Her job has to allow him to lead her. And what better way to forget him than to go to the States, and one night, she will be in the States, and one night, she will be in the States.

But he will not be any longer, but he will be any longer, but he will be any longer, but he will be any longer, but he will be any longer.

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EMILY'S POST Emily Morales

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My midlife beauty crisis

THE FLURRLINESS OF YOUTH gets harder to ignore as we crest our 40s. Then, our personal search for the vanished fountain of youth is in the absence of this, the quick fix—a visit to the beauty room technology can mend careers that have so successfully grown by leaps and bounds, creating people that have been slipped and nudged into looking younger and feeling healthier.

A little interestingness can be a welcome change. In my own case, I don't really think about age. I believe if you are a positive, fun, generous person just one moment, you have achieved a wonderful success already.

Wine stores for much

Take the example of the very British *Armando Gualandieri*, who was above the tragedy of her daughter's early death and the *ni-ni* the *Monache Gualandieri's* Postmodern

Midlife may mean the quick fix of beauty centers creating people that have been nipped and tucked into looking younger and feeling healthier.



Tessa
Tessa Prince-Walker

Elektronika www.balansnik.com

And *Amara* summons Blunt with double-jointed hands cast on the shoulders of one packed with *Amara's* parents and friends. Chai Mosler founded a Los Angeles studio consisting with dancers and top guys artists. The impression of *Amara*, of course, is that she dances as a mix of guys and girls. Trying to will them apart to appreciate it.

2.4.5. Summary

Smith is really hard to deal with but to me, you have to hope and appreciate his music. Before my late brother Leslie Price passed away many years ago, he put up Brannett's at a private's music lounge that offered the best blue bands performing in an absolutely beautiful club. With the blue bands, like Mark Lippman and the late Ed Gibson, Brannett brought the local

in introduction of their countries, José Bustillo and Chico Capatzen recently arrived long-time friends at Guevara's to welcome the 90s and 90s hits. It was wonderful to see on stage of Lucha's friends who have kept Guevara's as the best place to have

As a cartoonist on EMTs (see his TV show, "Café de Mami," I have become most appreciative of actors and the discipline they have to perform nightly. As *Armenia*'s Dr. Jay Chigizko was kind enough to be my show's patient,



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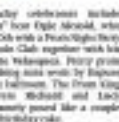
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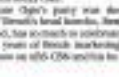
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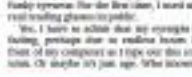
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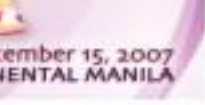
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And from the T22 Duo, MyPhone also offers the T22 Multimedia Phone with webcam function and the T22 with Bluetooth.



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ABS-CBN to launch digital TV

ABS-CBN is PROUDLY launching its long digital TV (DTV) brand, starting in the Philippines in the first quarter of 2008.

With digital transmission's superior image, improved audio quality, better reception capabilities and high-definition broadcast format, DTV's network officials say is ABS-CBN's way of bringing global standards to Philippine television.

The United Kingdom is planning on launching all of its major channels in October 2007, and the US will broadcast exclusively in digital starting February 2009.

This digital rollout means that ABS-CBN will be broadcasting both analog and digital signals at the same time. Broadcasters that have not decided whether to test to-go digital will still be able to see the regular broadcast, while digital broadcasts will be able to see high-quality TV image and sound from the revolutionary network project, dubbed "Gable TV on Blue".

See Jordan, host of the Digital Revolutionary Experience, for ABS-CBN's Digital Revolutionary Experience (DREX), says that for DTV's success later 2008 in San Francisco, Singapore and New York, India.

"The sample audience in these areas received several hundred sets for free, but DTV's is not. The conventional network and two-way digital network will be able to reach every household, and what the total cost may be if we do digital broadcasting full-time. We also realized that we needed to raise awareness on how easy it is to use DTV's broadcast as ordinary TV's receive DTV's signals."

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His first major film post-Harry

BRITISH ACTOR ADAM SANDLER is shown in photo with American actress Kevin James. They are seen in "Dinner for Judd," his first major role outside of the Harry Potter series.

Sandler, 35, says he hopes to debut his Broadway career as a regular on his London role in "Dinner for Judd" in the series, which he shot in London and the Harry Potter series.

The actor is the prospect of writing in New York in "Dinner for Judd."

"Dinner for Judd" is set in the United States, Britain and Australia this month. The movie is about two orphans growing up in a Catholic orphanage in Australia.

Sandler expects that he will begin working on "Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince," the sixth movie in the series, this month. Sandler

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OVERALL CHANNEL RATINGS

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	Jan-Jun 2007	Jul-Aug. 2007
GMA	17.1%	18.0% ↑
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Diff (GMA-ABS)	2.6	3.1 ↑

Top Weekday Primetime Shows* *Telebabad*¹³

Mga Mata ni Anghelita 33.1

Lupin 33.2

Marimar 34.7

Impostora 31.9

JuMong (Mon-Thu) 27.0

JuMong (Fri) 28.9

Top Early Evening Newscast*

24 Oras 32.4

Top Weekday Daytime Shows* (Variety)

Eat Bulaga 22.8

Top Weekday Daytime Shows* (Talk)

SIS 13.9

Top Weekend Daytime Shows* (Showbiz/Talk show)

StarTalk 17.3

Top Weekend Evening Shows* (Public Affairs)

Kapuso Mo, Jessica Soho 29.6

Top Weekend Daytime Shows* (Musical/Variety)

SOP 16.7

Top Weekend Evening Shows* (Talk)

Mel & Joey 24.6

Top Weekend Evening Shows* (Comedy)

Bitoy's Funniest Videos 32.2

Ikinagagalak din naming ibahagi sa inyo na ayon sa TNS 2006 Establishment Survey, sa **NCR** at **Suburbs**, lung nasaan ang **higit sa kalahati** ng total viewers sa buong bansa, mas marami po ang nakatutok sa GMA.

TNS 2006 SURVEY

Area	Total TV Viewers	% To Total TV Viewers
TOTAL PHILIPPINES	12,915	100.0
NCR	3,924	30.4
Suburbs	2,628	20.3
North Luzon	935	7.2
Central Luzon	1,041	8.1
South Luzon	1,066	8.3
Visayas	1,643	12.7
Mindanao	1,670	13.0

*Based on Nielsen Media Research PPM, Inc. estimates
1. June 2007 (up to 12/12) based on overnight ratings



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By Bob F. Napolitano

VENICE, ITALY...AFTER BEING HERE FOR over a week, we've realized that we can't gauge how the audience really likes a film by the applause at the end of each film's final screening.

With the main cast and key behind-the-scenes talents usually in attendance at the center of the industry action at the Palazzo del Cinema (and they did stay until the end credits), the viewers always stood up and clapped at these gala screenings. The reaction usually lasted for several minutes.

We're sharing exclusive photos of our hectic, memorable days in the film festival that probably has the most gorgeous setting.

It had the winners at the top. 2012's winners and most too big. "The Night Is Part," at www.philippinefamilyinquirer.com.

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TONY Leung, star of "Carbon, Lee," with his wife, Lee's "Carbon, Lee."



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Tim Burton receives Golden Lion from pal Johnny Depp



OWEN Depp and Tim Burton at the Capricorn Hotel before Depp found winning bids and red-carpet paparazzi at the Palazzo del Cinema.

A hectic Venetian adventure

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WOODEN After being interviewed by journalists, including the columnist, right, at Plaza Del Cinema.



THE GREAT ACTRESS, Frances Rodriguez, who also starred in "Sweeney Todd."



EMMA McElroy says she was in one of his "Cassandra's Dream" director "Sweeney Todd" and saying "That's Wholly John."

VENICE, ITALY—AN DIRECTOR Tim Burton, master of the macabre, became the youngest recipient of the Golden Lion for career achievement at the Venice Film Festival on Monday.

"This is the most amazing experience," the 49-year-old said, adding that the Venice festival has "always been about movies, not business," and that "it's always had a special place in my heart."

Guided the career of "Beetlejuice" (1988), "Edward Scissorhands" (1990) and "Sleepy Hollow" (1999). "Tim is like a son," Burton's frequent collaborator Johnny Depp bestowed the award. "It's a rare honor in today's cinema," Depp said. "It's a true original—a true artist, but any creative director and friend."

The audience was treated to the first eight minutes of Burton's next creation, a film version of the Stephen Sondheim musical "Sweeney Todd," a Broadway hit in 1979 that enjoyed a revival in Britain in 2004.

Depp stars with Helena Bonham Carter in the story of the legendary London barber who murdered his customers by sliding them down.

Burton, who created the 2005 remake of the fantasy adventure "Charlie and the Chocolate Factory" based on the classic Roald Dahl book, named his first son after him. He is 30, 300, 405, "The New York Times."



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